

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

THE UNITED STATES for the use of )  
GMW Fire Protection, Inc., an Alaska )  
Corporation, )

Plaintiff, )

vs. )

KANAG'IQ CONSTRUCTION CO., )  
INC., an Alaska Corporation, and )  
WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a )  
South Dakota Corporation, )

Defendants. )

Case No. A05-170 CI (TMB)

**REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT RE WESTERN SURETY AND  
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES**

Defendants, KANAG'IQ CONSTRUCTION CO., INC. and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, by and through their counsel, Eide & Gingras, P.C., request oral argument regarding Western Surety and the motion for attorney's fees. The only claims at issue with respect to an award of attorney's fees are the state-law counterclaims. As discussed previously at oral argument, Western Surety did not file any counterclaims in this matter. Kanag'Iq alone filed the counterclaims. To the extent the Court needs oral argument on the issue of the surety and the motion for attorney's fees, Defendants respectfully request oral argument on that issue. This request is filed pursuant to District of Alaska Local Rule 7.2.

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15 I am a legal secretary employed by the law  
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